

NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST SECURED BY SUN REPORTERS.

What Has Happened and What Is Going to Happen—Personal and Social Items of the City.

From Tuesday's Daily Sun:

C. C. Trowbridge of Waldo was in the city yesterday.

Ed Renault of Waldo was a visitor to the city yesterday.

A. U. Hilleary of Micanopy was visiting in the city yesterday.

R. M. McKinney of High Springs visited Gainesville yesterday.

Miss Floy Higdon of High Springs was shopping in the city yesterday.

Robert Arnow and Newton Coleman of Micanopy were visitors to the city yesterday.

H. D. Wood of Evinston, member of the firm of Wood & Evins, was a visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. Chas. Edmonson, who has been here for the past few days, returned to High Springs yesterday.

Mrs. Fannie Malphurs left yesterday for Ocklawaha to join her husband, who is now located at that point.

Miss Julia Wainwright left yesterday for Alachua, to be the guest of friends at that place for the next few days.

T. B. Stringfellow has gone to Alabama to join his family and from there will proceed on a trip through the Western States.

Miss Mabel Livingston returned yesterday from Daytona Beach. She stopped over to visit friends in Palatka for a couple of days.

Mrs. Dillie Truby and two sons, Duke and Bill, have gone to Lake City. While there they will be the guests of Mrs. J. M. Shelton.

L. L. Hill and daughter, Mrs. J. M. Mason, will leave today for points in North Carolina, to be absent the remainder of the summer.

Edward Kennard, who is now taking his vacation from his rural route work, is spending part of the time at Flemington with friends.

Miss Leonora Vidal left yesterday for Asheville, N. C. She will be absent the remainder of the summer visiting relatives in that State.

Read the advertisement of C. H. Coles & Son, jewelers and opticians, in another column. They are advertising easy glasses for uneasy eyes.

Miss May Kirby, one of the obliging operators in the Telephone Exchange, left yesterday for Jacksonville to spend the next few days visiting her brother.

The Baird Hardware Company announce they are headquarters for everything in the baseball line. They have the agency for the famous Reach line of sporting goods.

Miss Maude Fielding, who is employed by the Gainesville Hardware Company, left yesterday for her annual vacation, which will be spent with her sister in Georgia.

Miss Bessie Howard, who has been spending the past few weeks in the mountains of North Carolina, returned to the city yesterday and resumed her position in the Seaboard offices.

The Gainesville National Bank have a change of advertisement in this issue in which they invite you to become one of their satisfied customers. They are now handling over 1,000 accounts.

C. W. Wells of Alachua was in the city yesterday. He came down expecting to witness a baseball contest, but was disappointed, as the games with Orlando will not begin until next Thursday.

Mrs. G. S. Waldo has returned home after several days' visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wash Fennell, at Hawthorn. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Alma Fennell, who will visit in this city for some time.

Rev. E. W. Way, former pastor of the Presbyterian Church in this city but at present in charge of the church at Fernandina, arrived here yesterday to pay a short visit to friends. He has a large acquaintance here who are always pleased to meet him.

Mrs. W. C. Jackson of this city is now pleasantly located in Waynesville, N. C. She writes that it is de-

are crowded with Florida people. Mrs. Jackson will not return to Gainesville until very late in the fall.

Mrs. N. A. Callison was the recipient one day the past week of two handsome carriages which were shipped her by a lady friend who resides in Toledo. They are neatly arranged, comfortable vehicles, and the recipient has a right to feel proud over the gift.

From Wednesday's Daily Sun:

Ben Kite of Hague was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Wade Thomas of Montecito was trading in the city yesterday.

J. N. Hayman of Lochloosa was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mrs. G. W. McCall of Alachua was shopping in the city yesterday.

J. A. Roberts, justice of the peace for Rochelle, was a visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. A. B. Oliver has returned from Indian Springs, Ga., where she spent a few weeks most beneficially.

Mrs. J. W. Bennett left yesterday for Micanopy, to spend the remainder of the week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Merchant and daughter, Sallie, left yesterday for a two weeks' outing at Daytona Beach.

R. T. Thomas of Willeford and W. B. Colson, also from the same section, were transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson and children of Bronson spent yesterday in this city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Floyd.

T. C. Bryant of Bell was among the arrivals in Gainesville yesterday. He expects to remain over for the next two days on business.

Mrs. Chas. McDowall and little son, who have been visiting the family of W. S. McDowall for the past few days, departed yesterday for points in South Florida.

Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, who has been spending the summer at Orange Park, Fla., returned to her home here yesterday, much to the delight of her numerous friends.

Mrs. S. D. McDonnell and children left yesterday for Daytona Beach. They expect to be absent for the next two weeks and were accompanied by Miss Jessie Wimberley.

S. Frie of Archer, proprietor of the Magnolia Hotel, was a visitor to the city yesterday. He has just returned from a trip to South Florida, where he spent the past week.

J. R. Gilbert of St. Petersburg has arrived in the city and will spend part of his vacation here with his friend, J. U. Manning. Before returning to his home he will visit St. Augustine.

Miss Lillian McGeary, who has been stopping for the past few weeks at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Carter, in East Gainesville, left yesterday for Nashville to visit relatives for a short while.

Albert Roux of Virginia is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Robt. E. Davis. He is a brother of Louis T. Roux of this city and resided here during his youth, and his Gainesville friends are glad to see him again.

Mrs. E. C. Jones and daughter, Miss Mamie Perry, will leave today for Virginia and other places of interest. Mrs. Jones will return within a few weeks, while Miss Perry will remain in Virginia until the winter months.

J. R. Emerson, who is building a hard road near Flora Home, arrived in the city yesterday for a short visit to his family. He has had considerable experience in road-building and his services are sought in all directions.

H. L. Taylor, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hammett for several weeks, left this morning for his home at Gainesville. Mr. Taylor will leave Florida about September 1st for San Francisco, en route to the Philippines to follow an army life. Mr. Taylor graduating from West Point in June last with credit to himself and to his State.—Jacksonville Metropolis.

From Thursday's Daily Sun:

F. M. Ramsey of Wacahoota arrived in the city last night.

Miss Mabel McCredie of Micanopy was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Mrs. D. A. Daughtrey of Newberry was visiting in Gainesville yesterday.

J. W. Bailey and little daughter, Erie, of Newberry, were visitors to the city yesterday.

Mrs. N. D. Phillips, after a short visit to the city, returned to Jacksonville yesterday afternoon.

Carload of fancy driving horses

rived for your inspection. Oliver & Kite.

T. C. Holden, one of the prominent citizens of the Hawthorn section, was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. E. Futch and daughter, Miss Eva, left yesterday for Tate Springs, Tenn., to spend the remainder of the heated term.

Col. E. C. F. Sanchez left yesterday for St. Augustine to spend the next few days taking in the delightful breezes at the beach there.

Mrs. J. H. Vidal left yesterday for North Carolina. She will remain away the rest of the summer, returning home early in the fall.

S. E. Sapp of Alachua was in the city yesterday and made The Sun office an agreeable call, renewing his subscription for another year.

See that fancy and stylish drove of horses to be found at the stables of Oliver & Kite. The prettiest and best stock ever brought to the city.

Mrs. A. C. Owens, who has been absent for the past few months in Macon, Ga., returned to the city yesterday to again make Gainesville her home.

Maj. W. L. Floyd will leave today for points in South Carolina. While away he will visit his parents, but will return before the opening of the University.

Mrs. W. L. Floyd and children, accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Thomas, will leave today for Pablo Beach to spend the next four weeks.

Col. Chris. Matheson left yesterday for Indian Springs, Ga. He expects to be absent for the next several days taking in the pleasures of this famous resort.

J. A. Bethea of Astatula, Lake county, who has been visiting relatives in the Alachua section, was in the city yesterday and made The Sun office a pleasant call.

J. G. Beville of Arredondo was in the city yesterday. He says that the farmers are busy with their hay and also making preparations for early planting of some of the fall crops.

Dr. Geo. S. Waldo announces a change of his location as soon as the completion of his offices on the east side of square. Read his advertisement and be governed accordingly.

M. Venable and J. H. Holly of Arredondo were visitors to the city yesterday. They were en route to Worthington to attend the grand picnic given there by the Farmers' Union.

I thank all my friends for their kind support in the piano contest and wish to assure one and all that their kindness will ever be remembered. Respectfully, Miss Hattie Ludwig, Florida, Florida.

J. W. Chamberlin of Tacoma was among the visitors to the city yesterday. He says the farmers are getting busy again and it will be only a short while before they settle down to a real hard work.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Colclough left yesterday for Jacksonville. From that city Mrs. Colclough will proceed to North Carolina and will spend the remainder of the heated term at various resort places.

Elias Walker, one of the old and prominent citizens of Bronson, was a visitor to Gainesville yesterday. For a number of years he was a member of the board of county commissioners of our sister county.

E. D. Turner, cashier of the Du Pont Bank, accompanied by his mother Mrs. Turner, left yesterday for points in Ohio. They expect to be absent for the next several weeks visiting various cities in that State.

W. R. Stockert, who has been absent in Northern Michigan for the past few weeks, returned to his home yesterday. He states that he had a most pleasant trip and feels that he has been benefited physically.

J. A. Williams of Alachua was in the city yesterday. He was a member of a party composed of E. Wadell, E. Stringfellow and J. L. Shaw, all of whom were bound for the wilds of Homosassa hammock, near Crystal, to spend the next few days fishing and hunting.

J. T. Hutto, superintendent of the Central mines, was a visitor to the city yesterday. He was en route to Ocala on some business matters but will return here today. He states that all of the Central mines have been closed for the present, but operations will again commence within a few days.

NOTICE OF EXAMINATIONS

To Be Held September 7, 8, 9 and 10, 1909.

Examinations will be held in the City of Gainesville, beginning at 8 o'clock a. m., September 7th, and closing on the afternoon of September 10th, 1909. All white applicants for teacher's certificates will please be on hand at the Gainesville Public School building. Colored applicants for teacher's certificates will please be on hand at Union Academy. The law requires that all applicants pay the sum of one dollar, furnish a certificate of character, and have a supply of legal cap paper, pens and ink. Respectfully,
J. L. KELLEY, Superintendent.

LOCHLOOSA NEWS NOTES.

LOCHLOOSA, Aug. 18.—A. K. Wade, Jr., of Wildwood, is up spending a few days with friends and relatives.

J. A. Williamson and T. Morrison left Wednesday for Newnans Lake on an extended gator hunt.

J. N. Haymans, a thriving merchant of this place, made a business trip to Ocala Saturday.

Miss Ida Jackson returned home Saturday from Gainesville, where she has been attending the Summer Normal.

Mrs. S. F. McEwen left Tuesday for Ocala to spend a few days with relatives.

Mrs. Z. E. Wade of Wildwood spent a few days here last week with relatives.

J. H. Upthegrove made a business trip to Gainesville Monday.

J. W. Williamson left Sunday night for Arcadia after a few days' stay with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tompkins left Saturday for a few days' stay with relatives at Island Grove and Cross Creek.

J. W. Haymans of this place is attending school at Island Grove this term.

Messrs. Ralph and Hadley Shaw of Zubar, Fla., spent a few days last week with relatives here.

J. J. Haymans of Gainesville was down Wednesday looking after his business interests here.

Master Hoyt Haymans of Gainesville is here for a few days, the guest of L. L. Musselwhite.

J. N. Hayman made a business trip to Gainesville Tuesday.

Miss Fay Caldwell made her departure Thursday for Komoko, Fla. She goes to take the school at that place.

Messrs. O. W. Sykes and Lucious Revels of Island Grove were in town Saturday.

Fernando Bender left Tuesday for points unknown.

S. C. Hayman is having erected a nice dwelling house. It is a nice one-story house. He will move as soon as the house is ready for occupancy. Messrs. Walker and Harper of Gainesville have the contract for building it.

S. Roe left Saturday for Island Grove, where he will work in the Alder orange grove with Mr. Shaw. He has sold out his ice cream parlor here to L. W. Stewart, who will now own and operate both the barber shop and the ice cream parlor.

E. O. Upthegrove made a business trip to Micanopy last week.

The gator hunters here have been having pretty good success the last few dark nights. Last week a couple of men killed sixty-eight gators measuring from 2 feet to 15 feet, one being killed that measured 15 feet and 11 inches.

A monster rattlesnake was killed Monday by one of Mr. Haymans' turpentine hands. It was carried to the still and measured. It measured 6 feet 10 inches in length and had 20 rattles. J. W. Metzger also killed one in his pinder patch Monday measuring 5 feet and had five rattles. Monday seemed to be a rather snaky day.

Owing to the recent heavy rains that have fallen and continue to fall the farmers are looking forward to a small crop of cotton this year. Cotton is damaged by rust and shedding. Cotton is opening well and picking has begun in earnest.

A few of the select people of this neighborhood had a fish fry and grand picnic at the picnic grounds, on the lake a mile north of town Wednesday, August 18th. Fish were plentiful, it being a good day to catch them. All present greatly enjoyed themselves and contemplate having another in the near future.

PROMINENT SPEAKERS ARE TO BE PRESENT

LAYING OF CORNER STONE WILL BE GRAND EVENT.

Methodists of Evinston Preparing for Gala Day on Thursday, August 25th.

The Methodists of Evinston are preparing for a grand time at the laying of the corner stone of their handsome new church building now in course of construction at that place.

They have invited a number of prominent speakers to address the people on the occasion of laying the corner stone, and among those who have consented to be present are Hon. S. J. Hilburn of Palatka and Capt. G. M. Lynch.

In addition to the speakers the good people throughout the section propose to have a grand dinner, while the ladies of the church will serve refreshments and the proceeds will go to the benefit of the church now being built.

The committee on arrangements are C. J. Grace, O. D. Huff and C. M. Collins, and they are working hard to make the affair a success in every way.

THE WORTHINGTON PICNIC.

A Tremendous Crowd Present and Pleasant Day Was Had.

The grand Farmers' Union picnic held at Worthington Springs yesterday was largely attended by people from all sections of this and adjoining counties and it was said to be the largest gathering ever assembled in that place.

There were over five counties represented and a general good time was had by all. An abundance to eat had been provided and nothing happened to mar the pleasure of the day.

Had Purchased Stock.

Phifer Bros. have purchased the stock of goods of G. K. Broome and are having the same moved to their place of business on the corner, which will leave the Broome store vacant for the present.

The body of Mrs. Hattie May French

was found in a room of the St. Charles Hotel, Tampa, Sunday night. A bottle of chloroform beside her told the manner of her death. She was the wife of W. T. French, a Plant City merchant, and her death is said to be due to family troubles.—Ocala Star.

See "Want" ads. bring results.

WANTS...

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Two good yoke of oxen, one stout wagon, cheap for cash. H. H. Thomas, Earleton, Fla.

WE WILL SEND a six-basket carrier crate of nice large guavas to any address for \$1. Address Mohr & Son, St. Petersburg, Florida.

FOR SALE—Lot 160x125 feet corner West Main and Boundary streets. Half cash, balance on own terms, with eight per cent interest. H. H. McCreary.

FOR SALE—42½ acres, all high, rolling hammock; eight-acre orange grove; located one mile from Boardman, Marion county, Fla. Price reasonable. W. L. Miller, Micanopy, Florida.

FOR RENT.

ACME APARTMENT HOTEL, Jacksonville, V. J. Shipman, Manager. Nice, comfortable rooms at reasonable rates. Roomers wanted by day or week. Rates reasonable.

NICE UP-STAIRS front room for rent, on block next to square; hot and cold bath, electric lights, and all conveniences. Apply 303 E. Liberty street, or Sun office.

WANTED.

IF YOU WANT to get the highest price and quickest returns, ship your eggs, chickens, cants, peaches, melons, tomatoes, Irish potatoes,